

"You are safe, Miss Duval," he gasped, and as he spoke the look of leadership faded from his face and he was just the insignificant, ordinary little man of yesterday.

But Elsie threw her arms about his neck and kissed him. It was a public declaration and she could hardly have done less. For every one had

realized that there exist two sorts of courage and that brute force is inferior to moral strength.

At that moment Tallman was about three-quarters of a mile away, creeping down the gully that would take him to the high road out of sight of the settlement.

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VERY NEWEST BLOUSES



BY BETTY BROWN

There was a time when a blouse was a mere waist. The blouse of to-day is a "creation."

Your special attention is called to the Grecian model at the right. It shows the new peplum so many exclusive designers are using. The drooping shoulder line and the full sleeves are fashion notes you may read in this little garment.

You may also notice it is quite within the possibilities of the home dressmaking. The model I saw was made of brick red handkerchief linen. The embroidered squares on the front at the collar and on the peplum are in dull blue.

The second blouse is a bit too extreme to please some of us, but is a model that will be popular. It is made of citron color taffeta with lingerie

shirt bosom. The cravat is navy blue Georgette crepe. The bone buttons at the cuff are blue.

PICKLED GRAPES

Into one quart of vinegar stir four pounds of sugar. Boil with a bag of your favorite spices. Add seven pounds of grapes. Let stand over night, drain off the sprup and reheat the next day, pour over the fruit and set aside again. Repeat process a third time, then turn into cans and seal while hot.

HIS BREAK

"I thought you had given up burnt-wood art, dearie," said the young husband.

"Why, Ferdinand, how can you be so heartless? This is a pie."—*Ladies' Home Journal.*